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Dear Mr. FCC MAIL ROOM

I am writing to ask that you make every effort to strengthen the guidelines for enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990. Our children today deserve more educational/informational programs.

Educational needs of children are set aside to produce programs that are designed to sell toys, food, etc.

Educational children's programs need to target not only age level, but should be aired at a time of day children are watching TV.

I'm sure you believe as I do, that our children are the future of this nation, and deserve every possible educational advantage to strengthen this nation.

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Sincerely,
Mrs. Rep. Fry

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Dear Mr. Hunt,

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In this period of time in our world, there is so much violence happening. I really don't understand why so much of it has to be duplicated to the public, especially the children. They are becoming numb to having any compassion or feelings toward their family and peers.

It seems the net works are only interested in how much money a program can make and not how it affects the audience. People are supposed to monitor T.V. watching for their kids, but in reality, how many do so?

Very few programs can be shown these days without sexually remarks and sexual overtones. Even Disney has been guilty of it.

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Our nation is ~~making up~~ with a lot of uncaring, illiterate, disrespectful, rude children. Something has to be done now! Please! give our children better programs, and also take out the violence smut and sexual overtones.

Sincerely,
Bonnie Schomaker

P.S. Spornie Simpsons

Reference to Families & Community Education

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The Honorable Reed Hundt, Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street, N.W., Room 814
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Honorable Hundt:

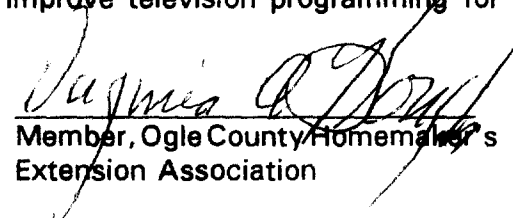
I ask you to strengthen the guidelines for enforcement of the Children's Television Act of 1990 to provide more educational and informational programs for children.

Children need special consideration. They are the country's future. FCC must stand up for children and develop guidelines for a clearer definition of educational programs, and require that these programs be shown at times when children are most likely to be watching.

Schools are underfunded and troubled. Many children are not prepared for school. Functional illiteracy and drop outs are serious problems. There is a tremendous potential for the educational use of television. An hour a day would be a minimum reasonable amount of educational programming specially targeted to children.

Television is a powerful influence. A few excellent programs have been developed as a result of the Children's Television Act. With clearer guidelines, more quality programs should be produced.

Thank you for your assistance in this effort to improve television programming for children.


Member, Ogle County Homemakers
Extension Association



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